



**PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME UNDER 37 CFR 1.136(a)**  
**(Large Entity)**

Docket No. **04558.048001**

Re Application Of: **Masahiko HIROSE, et al.**

Serial No.  
**09/782,339**

Filing Date  
**February 13, 2001**

Examiner  
**MENON, K.**

Group Art Unit  
**1723**

Invention: **WATER TREATMENT APPARATUS**

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**TO THE ASSISTANT COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS:**

This is a request under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a) to extend the period for filing a response to the Office Action of July 18, 2002 above-identified application.  
*Date*

The requested extension is as follows (check time period desired):

☒ One month    ☐ Two months    ☐ Three months    ☐ Four months    ☐ Five months

from: October 18, 2002

*Date*

until: November 18, 2002

*Date*

The fee for the extension of time is **\$110** and is to be paid as follows:

- ☒ A check in the amount of the fee is enclosed.
- ☒ The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any fees which may be required, or credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account No. **50-0591**  
A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed.
- ☒ If an additional extension of time is required, please consider this a petition therefor and charge any additional fees which may be required to Deposit Account No. **50-0591**  
A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed.

*Jeffrey S. Bergman* <sup>45,925</sup>  
For: *Signature*  
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Dated: 11/18/02

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I certify that this document and fee is being deposited on \_\_\_\_\_ with the U.S. Postal Service as first class mail under 37 C.F.R. 1.8 and is addressed to the Assistant Commissioner for Patents, Washington, D.C. 20231.

*Signature of Person Mailing Correspondence*

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